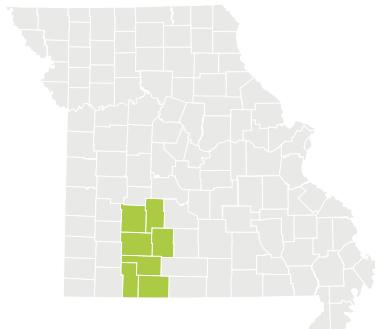


MISSOURI REAL TIME LABOR MARKET SUMMARY

OZARK REGION

APR. - JUN. 2023



22,500 TOTAL JOB POSTINGS

71% PERMANENT FULL-TIME JOBS

Springfield CITY WITH THE MOST JOB POSTINGS

The Ozark Region is comprised of seven counties, including Greene County, which is home to Springfield, the region's largest city. The top industry in the Ozark Region is Health Care & Social Assistance, which accounts for 17 percent of the region's employment.

TOP EMPLOYER POSTINGS

Mercy Health

CoxHealth

Humana

Missouri State University

O'Reilly Auto Parts

Springfield Public Schools

Amazon

Burrell Behavioral Health

Bass Pro Shops

Walmart

INDUSTRY POSTINGS

HEALTH CARE & SOCIAL ASSISTANCE
19%

RETAIL TRADE
16%

ADMIN. & SUPPORT & WASTE
MGMT. & REMEDIATION SERVICES
10%

ACCOMMODATION & FOOD SERVICES
9%

ALL OTHER INDUSTRIES
46%

Jobs on the rise; unemployment steady

Missouri non-farm payroll employment increased by 16,700 jobs from April 2023 to June 2023.

Missouri's smoothed seasonally adjusted unemployment rate has remained fairly steady from April 2023 to June 2023, only rising by one-tenth of a percentage point from 2.5% to 2.6%.

Missouri's labor force participation rate has increased by four-tenths of a percentage point from April 2023 to June 2023, rising from 63.2% to 63.6%.

OZARK TOP JOB POSTINGS

OCCUPATION TITLE	SOC CODE	ONLINE JOB POSTINGS	AVERAGE WAGE
● NOW			
Retail Salespersons	41-2031	780	\$32,316
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers, Hand	53-7062	630	\$34,745
Customer Service Representatives	43-4051	430	\$38,755
Fast Food & Counter Workers	35-3023	360	\$25,822
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	31-1120	280	\$26,869
● NEXT			
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	41-1011	620	\$46,744
Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing	41-4012	540	\$67,288
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	53-3032	530	\$54,405
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	29-2061	390	\$46,820
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	49-9071	380	\$41,721
● LATER			
Registered Nurses	29-1141	1,320	\$63,490
Medical & Health Services Managers	11-9111	280	\$106,250
Software Developers	15-1252	220	\$92,861
Physicians, All Other	29-1229	210	\$263,010
Managers, All Other	11-9199	210	\$86,227

● Now

Now occupations typically require short-term on-the-job training, little to no experience, and/or a high school diploma.

● Next

Next occupations typically require a non-degree certificate, associate degree, apprenticeship, some experience, or moderate- to long-term training.

● Later

Later occupations typically require a bachelor's degree or higher.



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Sources: Data for this analysis has been extracted using Lightcast™ (formerly Burning Glass/EMSI) tool that collects information from over 35,000 web sources, including job boards, newspapers, and large and small employer websites. Missouri Economic Research and Information Center (MERIC) uses this data to compile and publish reports for the state and labor market regions. While this analysis presents a broad picture of hiring activity and serves as a measure of labor demand, it does not capture openings that are filled through other networks.

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